Application No. 10/749,963 Amendment Dated January 10, 2007 Reply to Office Action of December 21, 2006

REMARKS

In the Office Action mailed December 21, 2006, the Examiner indicated that the application currently includes claims drawn to six distinct inventions for the reasons set forth in the Office Action.

By the present response, the applicant hereby elects to prosecute the invention set forth in Group I, namely claims 1-19, for prosecution in the present application. This election is being made without traverse.

The remaining claims 20-74 have been cancelled from the present application at this time and may be re-filed as divisional applications in the future.

The Examiner is invited to contact the applicant's undersigned attorney with any questions or comments, or to otherwise facilitate prosecution of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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